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## DECLARATION OF EDWIN L. MADISON PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.132

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Sir:

- I, Edwin L. Madison, declare as follows:
- 1. I am presently Vice President of Biological Research of Dendreon Corporation and Dendreon San Diego, LLC. From December 2000 until July 29, 2003, when Corvas International was acquired by Dendreon, I was Vice President of Biological Research at Corvas International. I joined Corvas in 1998 and previously served first as Director, Molecular Biology. I subsequently served as Senior Director of Molecular Biology and then as Executive Director of Biological Research. Prior to joining Corvas, I was Associate Professor of Vascular Biology at the Scripps Research Institute. A copy of my curriculum vitae is attached as Exhibit A.

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- 2. I am an inventor of the subject matter described and claimed in the above-identified United States Patent Application United States Serial No. 09/657,986.
- 3. I have reviewed the above-identified United States
  Patent Application, U.S.S.N. 09/657,986, as filed, and its
  claims, as presently pending. In particular, I have reviewed
  Example A, "Amidolytic Assay for Determining Inhibition of
  Serine Protease Activity of Matriptase or MTSP1".
- 4. Following the method for the assay as described in Example A of the above-identified application, a number of the compounds whose use as an inhibitor of matriptase or membrane-type serine protease 1 ("MTSP1") is described and claimed in the present application were tested for their activity to inhibit matriptase or MTPS1.
- 5. Exhibit B, attached hereto, lists certain compounds and their IC<sub>50</sub>'s for inhibition of matriptase or MTSP1 obtained using the assay described in Example A. The compounds listed in Exhibit B are described and claimed in the above-identified United States Patent Application as inhibitors of matriptase or MTSP1.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing statements made herein of my knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Title 18, United States Code \$1001, and that such willful false statements

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